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PART-IIA

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATIONS

The 17th September, 2015.

No.POL.191/2004/Pt-I/650.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 357A of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to amend the Meghalaya Victim Compensation Scheme, 2014 as follows:

1. **Short title and commencement:-** (1) this scheme may be called the Meghalaya Victim Compensation (Amendment) Scheme, 2015.
(2) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Amendment of rule 18 :-** For the existing rule 18 of the Meghalaya Victim Compensation Scheme, 2014, the following new rule 18 shall be substituted, namely,-

“18. Appeal

(1) Any Victim aggrieved by an order of denial of compensation by the District Legal Services Authority may file an appeal before a committee of the Meghalaya Sate Legal Services Authority to be headed by the Member Secretary with Secretary Law Department and Inspector General of Police (CID) as the other Members within a period of 90 days.

(2) The Decision of the Committee shall be subject to the approval of the Executive Chairman who exercises the revisional powers.

(3) The Committee of the Meghalaya Sate Legal Services Authority, if it is satisfied, and for reasons to be recorded in writing, may condone the delay in filing the appeal.”

F. KHARLYNGDOH,
Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Political Department.

The 23rd September, 2015.

No. ERTS (E) 1 /2012/139 - In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 36 of the Meghalaya Excise Act (Assam Excise Act 1 of 1910) as adapted by Meghalaya, the Governor of Meghalaya is hereby pleased to make the following Rules to further amend the Meghalaya Excise Rules, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Rules, namely:-

1. **Short title and Commencement** – (1) These rule may be called the Meghalaya Excise Amendment Rules, 2015.
(2) They shall come into force with immediate effect.

2. **Amendment of Rule 183 -**

In the principal Rules, in rule 183, in sub-rule (2), for the existing provisions, the following shall be substituted, namely :-

“2 (a) No IMFL and Beer retail ‘OFF’ and ‘ON’ license shall be established in any area within a distance of 200 (two hundred) meters from any place of public worship or educational institution or hospital”.

“(b) No license for retail sale of liquor or any other intoxicants shall be granted at any site situated within 100 (hundred) meters from the mid-point of any National Highway or State Highway”.

Explanation:-

- (i) “Educational institution” for the purpose of these rules means any Primary School, Upper Primary School, Secondary School and Higher Secondary School recognized by the State Government or Central Government or any College affiliated to any University established by law, but does not include any private coaching or tutorial institution.
- (ii) “Place of public worship” for the purpose of these rules means a Church, Temple, Mosque, Gurudwara, Monastery or any place of public worship recognized as such by the locality.
- (iii) “Hospital” for the purpose of these rules means, any Government Hospitals, Community Health Centres, Primary Health Centres or Primary Health Unit and includes Private Nursing Home, which has facility of a

minimum of 10 (ten) beds for treatment of in-patients.

- (iv) "For the purpose of this rule and irrespective of the provision of sub rule (b), no IMFL shops (OFF licenses) shall be located within a distance of 50 (fifty) metres from the mid-point of the National Highway or State Highway situated within the limits of any City, Town or Municipality or Town Committee. This restriction shall not, however, apply to "ON Licenses" situated within the limits of any City, Town or Municipality or Town Committee areas".

Existing licensees are required to comply with the provisions of these amended rules within a period of 6 (six) months from the date of notification of these rules.

J. LYNGDOH,
Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Excise, Registration, Taxation & Stamps Department.

The 16th September, 2015.

Subject :- Conveyance Allowance.

No.FEM.35/80/Pt/225.—The word “Motor Spirit” which appears in this Department’s letter No.FEM.35/80/Pt/14, dated 1st October, 1983 in connection with T.A. Rules is meant for Petrol or Diesel depending on the category of vehicle allotted and each officer has to specify whether the vehicle used is run on Diesel or Petrol.

I. W. S. WATRE,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Finance (AF) Department.

The 23rd September, 2015.

No.CTA-63/2011/1345.—In pursuance of the provision of Sub-Rule 9 of the Rule 8 of the Central Sales Tax (Meghalaya) Rule 1957, it is hereby notified for general information that the Form ‘C’ bearing Sl. No. FF0016497 issued by the Superintendent of Taxes, Circle-VI, Shillong were lost from the custody of M/s. Trinity Bharat Gas Agency, Nongthymmai, Shillong are hereby declared invalid and obsolete for the purpose of Section 8(4) of the CST Act, 1956. Dealers are cautioned against accepting of the said forms for the purpose of trade and the finder of the lost ‘C’ forms should please return the same to the undersigned. Anyone fraudulently found using the said forms will bind himself liable for action in accordance with the provisions of the Central Sales Tax Act, 1956 and the Rules framed thereunder.

ABHISHEK BHAGOTIA,

Commissioner of Taxes, etc.,
Meghalaya, Shillong.

The 23rd September, 2015.

No.CTA-63/2011/1346.—In pursuance of the provision of Sub-Rule 9 of the Rule 8 of the Central Sales Tax (Meghalaya) Rule 1957, it is hereby notified for general information that the Form ‘C’ bearing Sl. No. DD0095141 and DD0096221 issued by the Superintendent of Taxes, East Jaintia Hills District, Khliehriat were lost from the custody of M/s. Sutnga Service Station, Sutnga are hereby declared invalid and obsolete for the purpose of Section 8(4) of the CST Act, 1956. Dealers are cautioned against accepting of the said forms for the purpose of trade and the finder of the lost ‘C’ forms should please return the same to the undersigned. Anyone fraudulently found using the said forms will bind himself liable for action in accordance with the provisions of the Central Sales Tax Act, 1956 and the Rules framed thereunder.

ABHISHEK BHAGOTIA,

Commissioner of Taxes, etc.,
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